

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## KC MAN INDICTED FOR DISTRIBUTING CRACK COCAINE, HEROIN

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.** – Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced that a Kansas City, Mo., man was indicted by a federal grand jury today for distributing crack cocaine and heroin.

**Marion Robinson**, 50, of Kansas City, was charged in a four-count indictment returned by a federal grand jury in Kansas City.

Count One of the federal indictment alleges that **Robinson** distributed five grams or more of crack cocaine on Aug. 22, 2005.

Counts Two and Four of the federal indictment allege that **Robinson** distributed crack cocaine on Aug. 29 and Oct. 18, 2005, respectively.

Count Three of the federal indictment alleges that **Robinson** distributed crack cocaine and heroin on Oct. 18, 2005.

Graves cautioned that the charges contained in the indictment are simply accusations, and not evidence of guilt. Evidence supporting the charges must be presented to a federal trial jury, whose duty is to determine guilt or innocence.

This case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorneys Kathleen D. Mahoney and Jane Pansing Brown. It was investigated by the Kansas City, Mo., Police Department.

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